## WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

## WASHINGTON, DC

## ORDER NO. 9339

IN THE MATTER OF:		Served February 17, 2006
Application of JOSEPH K. NGWAFA, Trading as FIRST CHOICE HEALTH SERVICES, for a Certificate of Authority Irregular Route	) ) )	Case No. AP-2006-019
Operations	)	

By application accepted for filing February 10, 2006, Joseph K. Ngwafa, a sole proprietor trading as First Choice Health Services, seeks a certificate of authority for irregular route operations in vehicles with a seating capacity of less than 16 persons only, including the driver.

Applicant proposes commencing operations with two vans. Applicant's proposed tariff contains rates for transportation under the District of Columbia Medicaid program.

This proceeding is hereby initiated to determine whether applicant is fit and whether the proposed transportation is consistent with the public interest.

## THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That applicant shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, no later than March 3, 2006, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission.
- 2. That applicant shall file with the Commission, no later than March 17, 2006, an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.
- 3. That the deadline for filing protests, comments, applications for intervention, and requests for formal hearing is March 17, 2006, and that copies must be served on applicant at 9207 Chestnut Avenue, Bowie, MD 20720.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

William S. Morrow, Jr. Executive Director